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In re Application of:

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) Group Art Unit: 3751

Application No.: 09/691,944

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For: APPLICATOR DEVICE FOR  
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed is a response to the Office Action of June 14, 2002. The items checked below are appropriate:

☒ The extra claims fee is calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	85	-	84	1	x \$ 18	\$18.00
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Subtotal						\$ 92.00
Reduction by 1/2 if small entity						- 0.00
TOTAL						\$ 92.00

☒ A check for \$92.00 to cover the extra claims fee is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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**AMENDMENT**

In reply to the Office Action dated June 14, 2002, please amend the application  
as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend claims 13 and 80 and add new claim 85, as follows:

13. (Amended) An applicator device for a liquid product, the applicator  
comprising:  
a reservoir for containing the liquid product, the reservoir having an opening;  
a removable closure member for sealably closing the opening;  
an applicator member provided in the reservoir, the applicator member including  
a first end portion configured to be impregnated with the product and a second end  
portion, opposite the first end portion, the second end portion including a product

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